

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Harry A. Loder and Duane T. Smith

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For: OPTICAL FIBER CONNECTOR
SYSTEM

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Examiner: Unknown

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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LETTER TO DRAFTSMAN

Dear Sir:

In accordance with M.P.E.P. §608.02 (r), enclosed please find a proposal by the Applicant for amendment of the drawings to cure defects. Enclosed please find a sketch showing changes in red ink. The Applicant will submit formal drawings incorporating these changes upon allowance of the present case.

Review on entry of the enclosed drawing changes is respectfully requested.

The Applicant believes there are no fees due for this Amendment. If the Applicant is mistaken, the Applicant hereby authorizes the Commissioner to deduct any additional required fee(s) from Deposit Account No. 13-3723.

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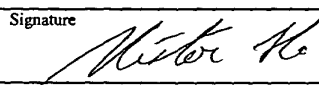
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Respectfully submitted,

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